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THE CAMPAIGN BANNER.

We will furnish the BANNER to Campaign Subscribers from this date until November 15th, postage paid, for ONLY FIFTY CENTS!

The Presidential Campaign of 1876 will be one of the most exciting in the history of the country, and will mark the final struggle between the people and their Radical oppressors. The BANNER will be found on the side of the people, advocating sound Democratic principles, the election of Tilden and Hendricks, the restoration of Honest Government and the inauguration of an era of Reform.

Our Flag.

The parties who borrowed the large Bunting Flag, belonging to the BANNER OFFICE, will please return the same immediately.

LOCAL REVENUES.

—The BANNER for sale at Taft & Co's. —The BANNER is also for sale at Chase & Cassill's.

—Next Tuesday will wind up the dog days.

—Record your deeds. The sooner the better.

—Clergymen should prepare their harvest sermons.

—Fishes are unusually numerous hereabouts this year.

—Unmuzzled dogs roam unmolested about our streets.

—Don't leave your windows open as invitations to burglars.

—Cute little neck-ties are very fashionable among gentlemen now.

—Coal is selling at 8 cents per bushel in Columbus. So much for competition.

—A Shawnee train last week brought up one hundred bushels of blackberries to Newark.

—If you meet a man with corns on his knuckles you can bet that he was recently a candidate.

—An editor's epitaph: "Here lies a man who lived before, and now lies here to lie no more."

—Richard Helin, Jr., fell from a horse-power at Gambier, one day last week, and fractured an arm.

—The Campaign BANNER should be in the hands of every Democrat in the county—only 50 cents.

—Base ball—Mansfield vs. Red Stockings, at the Fair Ground, this afternoon.—Admission 25 cents.

—Every Democrat in Knox county should subscribe for the Campaign BANNER—only 50 cents.

—When a man takes more pleasure in earning money than spending it, he has taken the first step toward wealth.

—MARRIED—Mr. John A. Kimble and Miss Almendra J. Kopp, by pastor A. J. Wiant, at his house, Aug. 9th, 1876.

—The late style hat for ladies, worn on the back of the neck, looks like an ornamented cat basket hung on a door knob.

—It must be awful for a man to be a stranger in a strange house, with a chew of tobacco in his mouth and no spittoon in sight.

—H. P. Tarr, boot and shoe dealer, of this city, made an assignment on Tuesday, for the benefit of his creditors. Liabilities small.

—The Newark Advocate states that horses are now selling at lower prices in Licking county than at any time in many years.

—A couple of Mansfield dentists are carrying on a ferocious controversy in the papers of that town. It is war to the teeth, by gum.

—John O'Brien's 25 cent Circus is doing an immense business in the Northern part of the State, and is well spoken of by the press.

—Why don't our splendid Silver Cornet Band entertain our citizens occasionally these summer evenings with a little outdoor music?

—Labor and building material are lower now than they have been for twenty-five years. A good time to build, if men have the money.

—The Rowley House has a new cook imported from Cincinnati, who over-elavishly "shakes up" good meals to the guests of that popular hotel.

—The St. Vincent de Paul's Benevolent Society will hold a Pic-Nic at McFarland's Grove, on the Gambier road, on Tuesday, Aug. 15th.

—When you see a man trying to clean a paper collar with a piece of rubber you can make up your mind that he has been hit by the hard times.

—Dr. Israel Green has lately purchased the drug store at Sparta, in Morrow county, and has son Everett, a thorough druggist, has taken charge of the same.

—At Put-in-Bay the ladies promenade in loose dresses, and a correspondent says that some of the fair sex for comfort wear Turkish trousers. This is no doubt a slander.

—Mr. E. S. Eichleber, of Carey, Wyandot county, committed suicide a few days ago, by hanging himself in the barn of his father-in-law, Mr. David Shaw, one day last week.

—The B. & O. Railroad will run a fast peach train this season again, and it is proposed to deliver peaches in this and other western cities several hours earlier than last season.

—For the six months ending June 30th, the gross earnings of the B. & O. Railroad were \$1,847,769.17, an increase of \$258,764.86 over the earnings of the corresponding months of 1875.

—The Baltimore & Ohio Shops at Sandusky City have reduced workmen to eight hours time and only four days work a week. The poor laboring men now get only \$1.80 each week.

—An impecunious individual was heard to mutter, as he finished reading a railroad hand-bill headed, "Through without change," "That's the road I shall take; no fault to find with them terms."

—About 25,000 young hares were recently deposited in the Seto at Columbus, making with those previously put in the Olenantia 150,000 placed in the waters in the neighborhood of Delaware.

—The new twenty-cent pieces are likely to prove a great annoyance. They are so near the size, and so closely resemble the silver quarter as to require close scrutiny to detect the difference.

—There will be a highly interesting game of base ball at the Fair Ground this afternoon, between the Mansfields and the Red Stockings, of this city. This is the return game, the first being a close one and requiring ten innings to decide. Admission 25 cents, ladies and carriages free, and ample seating accommodations.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

Pursuant to call, and for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for their county ticket, the Democracy of Knox met in Delegate Convention, at the Court House, on Monday, August 7th.

Convention was called to order by Hon. John D. Thompson, who nominated Hon. Dan'l Paul, President, after which Mr. D. Corcoran was elected Vice President, and Messrs. Isaac Lavefer, Jr. and J. J. Fulton, Secretaries.

The organization being completed, the Convention proceeded to roll call of Townships and Wards, whereupon it was declared that the several delegations were without contest and that the delegations were full.

The delegates representing the several Townships and Wards were as follows: Berlin—J. G. Merrin, G. A. Welker and J. L. Love.

Brown—D. Stewart, H. H. Workman and E. Rice.

Clinton—J. Carpenter, A. Nethers and G. W. Gamble.

Clinton—J. Lavefer, M. Stille and J. Hopkins.

Clinton—J. Bell, J. McCammett and O. Larson.

Clinton—J. S. Wing, G. W. Lybarger and G. Sapp.

Clinton—C. McKee, C. Elliott and S. Nibler.

Clinton—J. Easterday, J. Ewalt and J. K. Haiden.

Clinton—S. Welker, H. Critchfield and T. Berry.

Clinton—J. Nichols, J. Earleywine and T. L. Harris.

Clinton—J. W. Baker, J. Withrow and M. W. Anderson.

Clinton—J. Snyder, M. Bird and R. Youkum.

Clinton—J. S. Dixon, J. A. Fish and V. E. Dye.

Clinton—J. L. Marquand, W. McCune and H. K. Smith.

Clinton—J. Scott, J. Case and G. Myers.

Clinton—A. A. McKinzie, J. P. Hess and J. M. Scott.

Clinton—L. A. Bell, C. S. McLain and J. Hays.

Clinton—E. Burson, J. Rinehart and W. S. Kees.

Clinton—J. Wineland, C. Loney and G. Shipley.

Clinton—J. Soverin, A. Breese and H. Campbell.

Clinton—W. Buffington, J. Durbin and R. Sapp.

Clinton—J. D. Bartlett, J. W. Whitford and W. Darling.

Clinton—First Ward—J. Rowley, Second—J. M. Doyle, Third—J. A. Silk, Fourth—D. Corcoran, Fifth—John Lawler.

After appointing a committee, consisting of the chairman of the several Township delegations, together with the delegates from the Mt. Vernon wards, for the purpose of selecting a Central Committee for the coming year, the Convention adjourned to 12 o'clock, P. M.

Immediately after convening the committee on selecting a Central Committee, made the following report which was accepted and approved.

CENTRAL COMMITTEE.—J. D. Thompson, C. E. Critchfield, Frank Moore, J. F. Fultz, S. J. Breit, W. W. Walkey, W. E. Dunham and Jacob Ross.

Nomination of Candidates now being declared in order, it was moved that a majority of all the votes cast be necessary to a choice. It was further moved that the several candidates presenting themselves for nomination pledge themselves to support the nominee of the convention.

Messrs. E. Burson and G. S. McLain were appointed Tellers, after which the Convention proceeded to the nomination of and balloting for candidates.

The following persons were then placed in nomination for the office of Sheriff: E. Sharpnack, E. C. Lybarger, N. Jenkins, Lake F. Jones and John F. Gay.

The following is the result of the balloting for Sheriff:

Ballots. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
E. Sharpnack.....12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
E. C. Lybarger.....20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27
N. Jenkins.....18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25
Lake F. Jones.....13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20
John F. Gay.....13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

It appearing upon count of 7th ballot that one spurious vote had been cast, the 8th ballot was taken at the suggestion of both Mr. Gay and Lybarger, who again, in neat little speeches, pledged themselves to support the nominee of the convention.

The 8th ballot having resulted as above, upon motion of Mr. Lybarger, the nomination of John F. Gay was declared unanimous.

For the office of County Commissioner, the following named persons were placed in nomination: John Ponting, Samuel Bishop and W. B. Banning.

Upon balloting (only one ballot being cast), Mr. Ponting received 43 votes; Mr. Bishop, 11 votes, and Mr. Banning 17 votes.

Mr. Ponting having received a majority of the vote cast, was declared the unanimous choice of the Convention.

Messrs. James Sapp, Joseph Bechtel, R. H. Beebot, J. M. Adrian, H. Butts, S. Lewis, E. Blount, and J. Litzberg were then placed in nomination for the office of Inferior Director, with the following result:

Ballots. 1 2 3 4
James Sapp.....20 21 22 23
Joseph Bechtel.....15 16 17 18
R. H. Beebot.....15 16 17 18
J. M. Adrian.....6 7 8 9
H. Butts.....1 2 3 4
S. Lewis.....1 2 3 4
E. Blount.....11 12 13 14
J. Litzberg.....10 11 12 13

Mr. Bechtel having received a majority of the votes cast on the 4th ballot, his nomination was made unanimous.

For Coroner, were presented the names of Dr. R. Shira, of Pike township, and Wm. Fordney and Dr. Lewis Baker, of Mt. Vernon.

The result of the ballot was as follows: Dr. Shira received 42 votes; Dr. Baker 13 votes, and Wm. Fordney, 7 votes. Whereupon, the nomination of Dr. Shira was made unanimous.

Upon motion of John K. Haiden, the following resolution was adopted, as expressive of the sentiments of the Democracy of Knox:

"Resolved, That we, the Democracy of Knox, in convention assembled, do hereby earnestly request that hereafter, those people who desire their names to go before the people at the nominating conventions, will simply announce themselves as candidates and refrain entirely from making a personal canvass, by a persistent course of electioneering."

Postmaster Peterman wants a Hayes and What's-his-name pole erected at the corner of his store-room, to over-tower the Tilden, Hendricks and Reform pole raised by the Democrats on Monday, and offers to pay half the expense himself. Liberal boy you, Sammy.

Lake Jones says, to tell the readers of the BANNER that he will support and labor earnestly for the success of the entire Democratic ticket, notwithstanding the unflattering reception his name met with at the Convention, on Monday. Lake is a "solid nullooon," and will keep his word.

Grand Pole-Raising.

The young Democracy of Mt. Vernon, ever active and awake to the duty of the hour, determined to have a grand pole-raising in the city, at the conclusion of the Democratic County Convention, on Monday last, and went to work accordingly.

They found no difficulty in securing a beautiful, straight hickory, from the farm of that sterling Democrat, Mr. Wm. Loveridge, of Clinton, who gladly donated the same to the cause. It consisted of two pieces, one with a beautiful bough at the top, and when spliced together, measured 125 feet in length. The job of erecting the same was entrusted to Mr. Den. Smith.

When all the preparations were completed, a magnificent streamer, some twenty feet long, bearing the inscription, "Tilden, Hendricks and Reform," was nailed to the top. Several hundred people had assembled at the juncture of Main and Gambier streets, in front of the BANNER office, to lend a helping hand; and soon, by order, the roofs of the surrounding buildings were strewn with enthusiastic yells, with the ropes and braces in their hands, ready to exert their muscle, as they pulled their ballots this Fall, for the gambit cause of Democracy and Reform. The splendid pole was then raised into position and securely planted, without the slightest accident, and was greeted by the large multitude, which had now been considerably augmented, with rounds of cheering.

Death of Adam Harnwell.

Another of Mt. Vernon's most esteemed citizens has passed from time to eternity. ADAM HARNWELL departed this life at his residence on Gambier Avenue, on Friday morning last, of disease of the lungs.

He came to America in the year 1837, returned to England in two or three years, and again came to America in 1841, and with the exception of a short residence in New York State and Wisconsin, has lived in Knox county ever since.

He first located at Gambier, where he resided for several years, and then removed to Mt. Vernon, where he resided up to the time of his death, living a retired and peaceable life, greatly respected by all his neighbors and acquaintances. At the time of his death, the deceased was one of the Directors of the Knox County Infirmary, a position he filled with great satisfaction to the people of the county. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon, the services being conducted under the auspices of the Masonic Fraternity and the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, of which Societies he was an honored member. The deceased leaves a widow and one son, (Mr. B. Harnwell, of Gambier), and a wide circle of devoted friends to mourn his loss.

St. Luke's Church, Danville.

The corner stone of St. Luke's Church, Danville, was laid on Thursday last, in the presence of a large concourse of people, variously estimated from 1500 to 2000.

In addition to the two priests in this county (Father Brent and Father Mortier) Father Bender, of Newark, and several other priests from a distance were present. The services were highly interesting and solemn. The sum of \$292 was realized by the Pic-nic given in connection with the laying of the corner stone.

We may here remark that the new Church will be erected on the same lot immediately west of the old Church, and not in the village of Danville as at first contemplated. It will be a handsome brick edifice 65 by 100 feet in size. The stone work will be done by various parties by day's labor, and the brick work will be done by Henry Ransom and Son, which will be a guaranty that it will be well done.

Death of An Old Lady.

Mrs. Phoebe Ewalt, relict of the late Richard Ewalt and mother of Mr. Wm. D. Ewalt, died in Liberty township, on Monday last, of dropsy, aged 73 years, after an illness of about one year. The maiden name of the deceased was Phoebe Douglass, and she came with her father from New Jersey, in 1805. Mr. Douglass settled on what was afterwards known as the "Banning Place," north of Mt. Vernon, where he built the first mill in the county. It was on this farm that the town of Clinton was laid out, which became a strong competitor for the County Seat. Mrs. Ewalt was a devoted Christian, being a member of the Methodist Church for the last twenty-five years. The funeral took place on Wednesday and was largely attended.

Mansfield Steam Soap Works.

The editor of the BANNER acknowledges the present of a good sized box of soap, from the new Steam Soap Works of S. Snyder & Co., Mansfield, of which firm our friends R. Tullous and W. M. Hamilton, of this county, are members. All the different varieties of soap, whether for the laundry, the toilet or for shaving purposes, are manufactured by this firm, and after giving them all a fair trial, we take pleasure in saying that they are fully equal to any we have ever used. We learn that this firm have entered largely into the manufacture of soap, and with abundance of capital, energy and enterprise, they cannot fail to meet with complete success.

Sweeping Democratic Victory in Alabama.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., August 7.—Returns from various parts of the State indicate a sweeping Democratic victory.—Houston's majority for Governor will not be less than 20,000 and will probably go much higher. The Democrats have made gains in every part of the State that has been heard from and will have a large majority in the Legislature.

MOBILE, ALA., August 7.—The election passed off without any disturbance. This county gives over 1,500 Democratic majority.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., Aug. 7.—The returns show Democratic gains everywhere. Enough has been received to warrant the statement that the Democratic majority will be 30,000. Many counties heretofore Republican, sent Democrats to the Legislature, and the majority will be very large. The vote by Congressional Districts show seven of them Democratic and one Republican. As far as heard from, there has not been a disturbance of any kind in the State. The utmost good feeling prevailed everywhere.

The notorious "Brick" Pomeroy, who did more than any other man, by his opposition to the war and his abuse of soldiers, to attach the epithet "Copperhead" to the Democrats, has sold himself to the Radicals and is now publishing an anti-Tilden paper in Chicago. The Reverend Hamilton is now a great admirer of "Brick," and files his paper with the effusions of that noted blackguard.

Hon. Benjamin Harrison, of Indianapolis, has been placed by the Republican State Central Committee of Indiana, on their ticket, as a candidate for Governor, vice Venezuela Orth, resigned, and he has accepted the nomination.

OHIO STATE NEWS.

James Rogers, an inmate of the Soldiers' Home, was drowned in the Miami, on Saturday last.

Gen. J. D. Cox delivered an address at the reunion of the 100th regiment at Perryburg on Saturday.

Custom is making an effort to keep outside parties from buying the safe works of Diebold, Norris & Co.

September 20 has been decided upon by the Stark county Odd Fellows as the date of their departure for the Centennial.

B. S. Welsh, an old citizen of Cleveland, and a soldier of the war of 1812, died on Saturday, at the age of eighty-seven years.

Anthony Moran, who did the shooting at the Washington mine riot, has been refused a new trial and sentenced for two years.

During a storm in Cleveland on Saturday, eight horses were struck by lightning, and a little girl named Barbara Reich was killed.

William Mittenough, a farmer, residing nine miles east of Ada, was kicked in the head on the 1st by a horse and almost instantly killed.

John Shanley, a brakeman, fell asleep on a railroad track at Cortland, Friday night, was run over, and injured so that he can hardly recover.

James Beck, of Ravenna, who had just been admitted to the practice of law and was preparing to open an office was found dead on Wednesday.

The Coshocott Democrat says that work will be rapidly pushed on the Massillon & Coshocott Railway, and the grading will be finished in a short time.

East Toledo property owners have brought suit against the Pennsylvania Railroad company for damages for land appropriated and adjacent realty, claiming \$78,000.

When John Harding, a prominent farmer of Trumbull county, was riding into the barn on a load of hay, recently, his head struck a beam overhead, killing him instantly.

The pioneers of Miami, Clark and Champaign counties will hold a Centennial meeting at Addison, in Miller's Grove, on Saturday, August 26. Everybody is invited to attend.

Mrs. Tecuzeh Miller, of South Bloomfield, died Friday night from an overdose of morphine, which she had taken in addition to a dose ordered by her physician to allay neuralgic pain.

Mrs. Israel Fair, of Troy, Ashland county, died from the effects of sunstroke, last week. She was crossing a field when overcome with the heat, and the body was not recovered for several hours.

John Eddy and Mrs. Bierbaum, formerly of Mansfield, were arrested at Richmond on the 1st and pleaded guilty to the charge of bigamy. They were bound over to Court in the sum of \$2,000 and in default were committed to the county jail.

The storehouse of Leyda and the Town Hall, with freight and ticket office, at Big Prairie, seven miles east of Loudonville, was burned to the ground about 1 o'clock Sunday morning. Loss unknown. Supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

Fifteen young ladies graduated from the literary department of Oberlin college Monday. Ten were from Ohio, two from Michigan, one from California, one from Iowa and one from Minnesota. Each presented an essay. The exercises were good. Three thousand people were present.

The residence of Joseph McKee, of New Lisbon, was entered by burglars recently and robbed of nearly five hundred dollars, and seventy-five dollars' worth of jewelry. Four men were in the house at the time, one guarding Mr. McKee, another standing over the prostrate form of Mr. McKee, who had been knocked down, and two ransacking a chest, from which they took their booty.

Postscripts.

Hon. Horatio Seymour declines to be a candidate for Governor in New York.

The Indian troubles appear to be getting worse instead of better. Texas is the scene of the latest difficulty.

Gen. Brinkerhoff, of Mansfield, the leader of the Liberals of Ohio, has declared for Tilden, Hendricks and Reform.

Hon. Jacob Mueller, late Republican Lt-Governor of Ohio, will probably be the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Cleveland District.

Judge M. F. Force has been nominated in the First District, and Stanley Matthews in the Second District as Republican candidates for Congress.

There was a meeting of the Democratic State Central Committee and Democratic Editors of Ohio, at Columbus, on Wednesday, and a thorough organization of the State was agreed upon.

The Judicial Convention for this district, which met at Columbus on Wednesday, nominated George Buckingham of Newark, and Mr. Vandamman, of Delaware, as candidates for Common Pleas Judges.

Cal. Magers is "down in the mouth" since the Democrats nominated Johnny Gay for Sheriff. Defeat stings him in the face at every corner.

John Ponting will make a splendid Commissioner. He is thoroughly familiar with the wants of the people, and will attend to them as he attends to his own business—prudently and honestly.

If Hayes is elected Delano and his Sunday School class will be provided with fat places. Delano has not "retired to private life" by any manner of means. He got out of Grant's Cabinet merely to escape impeachment and removal at the hands of a Democratic Congress.

It had not been for the Democratic investigation in Congress, Gollwede Orth would still be the Republican candidate for Governor in Indiana. But Orth's connection with the Venezuela swindle was unearthed, and he dared not go before the people and "face the music." He wishes now that he had not resigned the Austrian mission.

The corruptionist Venezuela Orth, the Radical candidate for Governor in Indiana, feeling conscious that defeat stared him in the face, with drawn from the candidacy, and a meeting of the State Central Committee has been called to nominate a man to fill the vacancy. But will they be able to find a man in the corrupt party who is untainted? Doubtful.

Notice.

Errett Bros. have removed to the Hawk Building, next to Green's Drug Store, where they are selling all goods in their line at bottom prices. Sold agents for the celebrated Rubber Paint.

If you want nice fitting clothes go to J. H. Millos. He guarantees a fit every time.

The place to get your Fruit Jars and Sealing Wax, is at Mitchell's City Grocery, public square, July 4-2.

JOHN M. ARMSTRONG, Sheriff Knox County, Ohio.

DEVIN & CURTIS, Attys., for Plaintiff.

Appraised at \$700.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash.

On Monday, September 11th, 1876, At 1 o'clock, P. M., of said day, the following real estate, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163

